



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Hoehn, Garrett W.
Serial No. : 09/638,478 Art Unit : 2832
Filed : August 14, 2000 Examiner : Lee, Richard K.
Title : SNAP-IN BLOW MOTOR SPEED CONTROL WITH BREAK AWAY
SERVICE FEATURE

**STATEMENT SETTING FORTH THE DATE OF RECEIPT OF THE
OFFICE ACTION AT THE CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

ATTN: Office of Petitions

Dear Sir:

This statement of facts by a Patent Attorney doing business for the Applicant at the correspondence address establishes when an Office Action identifying a date mailed of October 23, 2001 was in fact received at the correspondence address:

1. On August 14, 2000 a patent application was filed entitled "SNAP-IN BLOW MOTOR SPEED CONTROL WITH BREAK AWAY SERVICE FEATURE", serial number 09/638,478
2. The inventor listed on the Subject patent application is:

Garrett W. Hoehn
3. The Office Action for the above-referenced patent application identifies the date mailed as October 23, 2001, but the envelope in which the Office Action was received was postmarked January 22, 2002 in Washington, D.C. and January 26, 2002 in Baltimore, MD. The Office Action was received at the correspondence address below on January 28, 2002, as indicated by the date stamp thereon:

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4. The Office Action was in fact received in the postmarked envelope, a copy of which accompanies this Statement and PETITION TO RESET A PERIOD FOR REPLY DUE TO A POSTMARK DATE LATER THAN THE MAIL DATE PRINTED ON AN OFFICE ACTION.

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